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HOUSE BILL NO. 1114

Introduced by: Representatives Boomgarden, Ahlers, Bradford, Engels, Feinstein, Lucas, Novstrup (Al), Rausch, Rave, and Thompson and Senators Peterson (Jim), Hauge, Hoerth, Katus, Maher, Napoli, Nesselhuf, and Olson (Ed)

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions concerning the definition and 2 operation of farm wineries. 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA: 4 Section 1. That § 35-12-1 be amended to read as follows: 5 35-12-1. Terms used in this chapter mean: 6 **(1)** "Farm winery," any winery operated by the owner of a South Dakota farm and 7 producing table, sparkling, or sacramental wines as defined in subdivision (2) or wine as defined in subdivision (3), with a majority of the ingredients grown or produced 8 9 in South Dakota; 10 (2) "Table, sparkling, and sacramental wines," any beverage made without rectification 11 or fortification and containing not more than twenty-four percent alcohol by volume and made by the fermentation of grapes, grape juice, other fruits, or honey; 12 13 (3) "Wine," any beverage made without rectification, except for the purpose of

fortification, from the fermentation of grapes, grape juice, other fruit bases, or honey,

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with or without adding brandy or alcohol, and containing not less than one-half percent and not more than twenty-four percent alcohol by volume.

Section 2. That § 35-12-5 be amended to read as follows:

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4 35-12-5. A license issued pursuant to § 35-12-2 authorizes the sale on the farm winery 5 premises of table wine, sparkling wines, or sacramental wines, or any wine as defined in 6 subdivision 35-12-1(3), produced by the farm winery at on-sale or off-sale, in retail, or 7 wholesale lots in total quantities not in excess of one hundred fifty thousand gallons in a 8 calendar year, glassware, wine literature and accessories, food products, South Dakota made 9 products, and the dispensing of free samples of wines offered for sale. Sales at on-sale and off-10 sale may be made at any time during the week except on Sundays when the on-sale and off-sale 11 sales are restricted to between twelve noon and twelve midnight.